

WILL SHIP FROM VIRGINIA PORTS

Coal for Philippines to Go From Newport News and Norfolk.

WILL BE CARRIED IN AMERICAN SHIPS

These for the First Time to Carry American Supplies to Manila—Three Sailing Vessels and the Missouri Already Chartered.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Contract was signed to-day whereby American ships will load principally at Virginia ports—will, for the first time, carry United States government supplies to the Philippine Islands, such cargoes having heretofore been conveyed in British bottoms.

The United States government, acting on the bill passed by the last Congress requiring all supplies for the authorities in the Philippines to be carried by American ships, has already chartered three large sailing vessels, which will carry about 10,000 tons in all. Two of these ships will load in Norfolk. The Atlantic transport liner Missouri (Morgan Ship-trust) has also been engaged. The Missouri will convey a complete cargo of 10,000 tons, to Manila. The three vessels chartered are the Edward Sewell, the Luzon and the Kline, the latter being a five-masted schooner. The Edward Sewell, 2,316 tons, and the Kline, 1,816 tons, will load at Norfolk.

The government will shortly contract for some thirty thousand tons more coal to be shipped, chiefly from Virginia ports, for use by the United States navy in the far East.

The contract with the Morgan Ship-trust, for 10,000 tons, is a tonnage contract, the coal carried from Norfolk by the Sewell vessels will be shipped at a freight rate of six dollars and fifty cents per ton.

A clause in the bill now in force permits the government to charter foreign vessels should the American shipping interests attempt to inflict exorbitant rates. The Britishers presuming that a high rate would be suggested by the shipping people on this side, put in a bid of but four dollars and twelve cents for freight by steam.

The average price secured by Britishers since the war has been about five dollars per ton.

Every vessel carrying freight from the United States and the Philippines after July 1, 1906, will be required to be American.

SPINNERS' MEETING.

Bought When Cotton Was High and Are Now in a Quandry.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 20.—A general meeting of the hard yarn spinners of the South has been called to be held in Charlotte on January 5th, when matters of vital interest to trade will be considered. A circular letter was mailed to-day to all the spinners interested urging their attendance.

The recent slump in cotton brought about a chaotic condition in the yarn market and the spinners feel that it is necessary for them to be "up and doing" if they would avert something that might be close akin to a trade catastrophe. When the price dropped, many mills were loaded up with the raw material, bought at high prices and the matter that now concerns them is getting rid of their products without a loss.

EX-GOVERNOR EAGLE, OF ARKANSAS, DEAD

Was President of Southern Baptist Convention—News Heard Here With Regret.

(By Associated Press.) LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Dec. 20.—Former Governor James P. Eagle died here to-day after an illness of three weeks. He was governor of Arkansas from 1889 to 1893. He had been president of the Southern Baptist State Convention twenty-one years. At the last meeting he declined re-election. He was also president of the Southern Baptist Convention. Since leaving public office he devoted his time to his plantation interests and to church work.

News of former Governor Eagle's death reached here yesterday. Telegrams have been received by Dr. R. H. Pitt and Dr. R. J. Willingham. He was well known to Baptists in Richmond and widely known throughout the State. A called meeting of the Foreign Mission Board was held and the appended message of sympathy was wired:

"Richmond, Va., Dec. 20, 1904. "Rev. J. F. Love, Little Rock, Ark. "LAXO takes the place of Colonel."

Don't Put Off Buying

until our stock has been picked over. It was never so attractive as now and our customers appreciate our efforts to be "up to date" at holiday time. Call and make your selection and we can deliver your packages any time you wish. Among the many seasonable novelties we have to offer you, we might mention the following:

THE COMMITTEE LOSES THE MAYOR

And for That Reason Failed to See President Roosevelt on Yesterday.

TO CALL AT NOON TO-DAY

Were Aided by Thomas Nelson Page—The Richmonders Will Return Home To-night.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, D. C., December 20.—The committee from Richmond to present to the President the invitation of the Board of Aldermen and the Common Council of that city to visit the Old Dominion's capital on the occasion of his forthcoming trip to the South, did not see President Roosevelt to-day. The probability that it would not be able to do so was indicated in these dispatches last night, owing to this being Cabinet day, and the event proved the truth of the surmise. The committee will present the invitation at noon to-morrow.

Fruitless efforts were made during the day to get an interview with the President. In addition to the members of the Cabinet, there were throngs of callers at the White House during the day, all of whom came by appointment, or they did not see the inside of the President's office.

After efforts had failed to arrange for an interview to-day, and the members of the committee had scattered with the understanding that the President would receive them at noon to-morrow, Dr. Thomas Nelson Page ran across the committee at the Raleigh, and after a little effort, succeeded in arranging for the President to meet the Richmond gentlemen at 3:30 o'clock.

But after this arrangement was made, the most earnest search failed to discover Mayor McCarthy, and he did not turn up at the hotel until after 4. So, the visit was not paid. Mayor McCarthy, understanding that attempts to see the President to-day had been given up, had gone to Georgetown to call on a kinsman. The committee will present the invitation to-morrow, and leave for home on the afternoon train.

WOODSTOCK, VA.—The river and ponds are frozen over, and the quality of ice, measuring four to five inches thick, is being harvested.

Wines and Liquors for Xmas.

Catawba Wine, per quart.....12c
Rye Whiskey, per bottle.....75c
Quart bottle Imported Port Wine.....35c
Quart bottle Sherry Wine, Imported.....35c
Quart bottle Smart Set Whiskey.....75c
Quart bottle Gin, Imported.....75c
Oscar Pepper, Gibson or Mt. Vernon Old Rye Whiskey, per bottle.....\$1.50
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Old Rye Whiskey, 6 years old.....\$2.40
Fine N. C. Corn Whiskey, 3 years old.....\$2.00
French Brandy, 2 years old.....\$2.00
Pure Old Virginia Apple Brandy.....\$2.00
Old French Brandy, 5 years old.....\$3.00
Imported Gin, per gallon.....\$2.00
New England Rum, per gallon.....\$2.00
Blackberry Brandy, per gallon.....\$2.00
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Good Holland Gin, per gallon.....\$1.50
Sweet Elder, per gallon.....25c
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St. Jacob's or Miller's Malt Whiskey, per bottle.....75c
Duff's Malt Whiskey.....60c
Jamaica Rum.....\$2.00
Catawba and Blackberry Wine, per gallon.....45c

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OPEN EVERY NIGHT UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

THE ONLY CASH STORE.

THE ONLY WAY TO MAKE YOUR MONEY

buy more Xmas gifts than your funds would allow you is to do your shopping at E. T. FAULKNER CO.'S store.

NEW SPECIALS DAILY. SEE THE SPECIAL SPOT.

Sensational Xmas

prices on New Linens.

Damask Towels, knotted, figured.....15c
Damask Towels, 26 inches wide by 52 inches long, at.....25c
Linen Tray Cloths, at.....12½c
Scarfs, 11-4 yards long, at.....48c
Shams, good size, at.....48c
Doyles, all pure linen, at.....48c
Dinner Napkins, \$1 value, at.....89c
Dinner Napkins, \$1.50 value, at.....\$1.25
Cloths, fringed, 16-4 size white and colored borders.....89c

Great Holiday

reduction in Lace Curtains, Rugs and Covers.

Lace Curtains, \$1.50 value, at.....98c
Lace Curtains, \$2.50 value, at.....\$1.48
Smyrna Rugs, \$1.50 value, at.....98c
Chenille Covers, \$1.00 value, at.....48c
Tapestry Covers, \$2.50 value, at.....\$1.69
Smyrna Rugs, \$2.00 value, at.....\$1.39

A Visit to Our

Doll Department will open your eyes: we have heard hundreds say so.

Kid and Bisque Dolls, sold everywhere at 25c, here at.....25c
Bisque, Kid and Dressed Dolls, sold at many places at 48c, here at.....48c
See our Doll bargains at 75c, and up to.....\$4.98

To-Day for Coats.

Ladies' or Misses' Loose Back Coats, with strap, made of good quality Kersey, tan or black.....\$4.98
Ladies' Fitted Back Coat, well tailored and trimmed in straps; worth \$12.50, at.....\$8.98
Ladies' Three-Quarter Length Coat, strapped back, collarless; worth \$15, for.....\$9.98

Large 50c Bisque Dolls, at.....31c
Boys' 50c Gloves, Scotch, at.....25c

Most Extraordinary

opportunities in Shams and Scarfs for Christmas gifts.

Hemstitched Shams, full yard square, embroidered in white, worth 80c, at.....35c
Hemstitched Scarfs, yard and a half in length, to match Shams, at.....15c
Shams, hemstitched, lace inserting let in and applique, large assortment, at.....48c
Scarfs to match, at.....25c

Pin Cushions.

Plain, satin covered, 15-inch, for.....25c
8-inch Square, daintily trimmed in lace and ribbon, for.....48c

Infants' Specials.

What could be better for holiday gifts to the baby?

Infants' White Silk Caps, 50c, value, at.....39c
Infants' Crochet or Flannel Sacques, at.....48c
Infants' Leggin Drawers, all wool, at.....48c
Infants' All Wool Sweaters or Reefers, in white and colors, at.....\$1.48

Furs Are

splendid Christmas gifts, and they will be more appreciated at our low prices.

Fur Neck Piece, three-quarters of a yard long, with six large tails, for.....\$1.48
Black Coney Fur Piece, with six tails, at.....98c
Large Double Neck Piece, extra large bush, Sable Fox, worth \$10, for.....\$7.98
and up to \$25.

Walking Skirts.

Ladies' Oxford Gray Skirts, a \$3.50 skirt, cut to.....\$2.25
Ladies' Fancy Mixtures Skirts, pretty flare, with hip trimming, \$5 value, at.....\$3.48
Ladies' Solid or Fancy Mixtures in Skirts in several different styles; \$5.50 value, at.....\$4.98

SIX SPECIALS.

Ladies' 50c Gloves, Scotch, at.....25c
Ladies' New Neckwear, at.....25c

You Have Never

seen such bargains in Leather Bags as we are offering for your holiday gifts.

We will put on free your initial in gilt on every bag up to 98c. Just see the specials at 98c, 89c, 69c, 48c, and 25c, and up to.....\$4.98

Choice Gifts in Umbrellas.

Our special, with fancy handles, at.....98c
An Umbrella, with beautiful handles, for.....\$1.48
And a great bargain, at.....\$2.25

Holiday Handkerchiefs.

Singly or boxed styles, quantities and prices to suit all purses.

Sheer Embroidered, at.....5c
All Linen, Initial, at.....10c
Sheer Linen, embroidered, 12½c
Sheer Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs, goods worth up to 25c, for.....25c
Silk Mufflers, all colors, 98c, 75c, and.....48c

Wonderful Values

In holiday goods in the Men's Department.

Men's Four-in-Hand Ties, one to a box, at.....25c
Entirely new line of Men's Ties, at.....48c
Men's 25c Gloves, at.....19c
Men's \$1.00 Gloves, at.....59c
Men's Kid Gloves, at.....98c

Glove Department.

Holiday prices will astonish you.

Children's Mitts, black, blue and red, at.....10c
Ladies' Cashmere and Golf Gloves, 25c value, at.....19c
Ladies' Kid Gloves, at.....59c
Ladies' Kid Gloves, hands all.....98c

See Our New

line of Sofa Cushions, worth a half more, 98c, 75c, 45c, and.....39c

Table No. 2—25c Bargains.

Collar and cuff Boxes, Wash Buckle Glove Boxes, with Pictures, Handkerchief Boxes, Pin Cushions, made into all kinds of animals, Sewing Boxes and Spool Boxes.

Jointed Boy Doll, was 25c, now.....15c
Children's Initial Handkerchiefs.....3c

NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Marriage of Mr. C. W. Shulken and Miss E. N. Bagley This Afternoon.

DEATH OF MR. B. R. SHANKS

Good-Time Club Organized by Rev. Dr. Cridlen—News Notes.

Mr. B. R. Shanks died yesterday morning at 11 o'clock of typhoid fever, at his home, No. 309 East Seventh Street, after a short illness. He leaves his wife and an infant. Mr. Shanks was a member of Liberty Council, Daughters of Liberty. The remains were sent to Amelia Court-house, at which place the funeral will be at noon to-morrow.

Infant Dies.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Draper, Eva May, died at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The remains will be sent to Emporia for interment.

Bainbridge Street Officers.

The Bainbridge Street Church Sunday school elected the following officers: For President, John E. Tice, Assistant, P. W. Jones; Treasurer, B. L. Sykes; Clerk, O. W. Nunnally; Assistant, Howard Gregory; Chorister, W. J. Morrisette; Organist, Miss Ruth Brandis; Assistant, Miss Ethel Brown; Superintendent of Infant Department, Mrs. A. C. Harding.

Stores Are Busy.

The Christmas season is marked by great activity at the shops, and the dealers say that the demand for holiday stuff is heavier than ever before. The demand will be met, for the stuff on display is larger than ever.

Shulken—Bagley.

This afternoon at 6 o'clock Mr. C. H. Shulken, of Norfolk, and Miss Elizabeth Nebbett Bagley, of Lunenburg county, will be married at the residence of Mr. B. M. Robertson, No. 1422 Porter Street. Mr. Shulken is connected with the Norfolk and Southern Railway Company, at Norfolk, and Miss Bagley is the daughter of Colonel C. S. Bagley, of Lunenburg county. After the ceremony the couple will go to the home of the bride for the holidays and then take up their home at Norfolk.

Court Items.

Robert Harris (colored), was before Judge CLOPTON yesterday on the charge of failing to support his wife, but it was shown that he was now paying his wife \$3 a week and a continuance was granted. Judge CLOPTON has appointed the following tax assessors for Manchester: Messrs. G. E. Gary, J. F. Bradley and Henry Levy.

Good-Time Club.

Through the efforts of Rev. Dr. Cridlen, assisted by Mr. Adams, "Square Cigarettes" and Mr. John Alvis, a "Good Time Club" has been started at Ninth and Hill Streets, where the needy citizens and the weary wayfarer may find comfort and food in the hour of want. There will be a hot soup and a pot of coffee and a stove to warm by. Any one who wishes to contribute may send to the place at Ninth and Hill. This will in no wise conflict with the work of the City Mission, but will be an auxiliary to that institution and will be run by Mr. Wiley and Mr. Buchanan's places in Richmond, and there is no doubt that much good will result.

Personals and Briefs.

The Manchester Elks have extended the privileges of the home to the City Mission as a place of meeting on every second and fourth Thursday from 3 to 7 P. M.

Lizzie Clayton is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Manchester Lodge elected the following officers for the term: J. H. Vaden, worshipful master; John Robertson, senior warden; Aaron Sampson, junior warden; W. W. Pool, treasurer; J. M. Brown, secretary; H. A. Maurice, senior deacon; T. M. Ahern, junior deacon; A. L. Adamson, W. W. Pool, John O'Brien, Trustees; B. P. Owen, district deputy.

POLICE BAFFLED BY BIG ATLANTA ROBBERY

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ATLANTA, GA., December 20.—The residence of J. K. Orr, one of Atlanta's wealthiest merchants, was entered in broad daylight to-day and robbed of between three and four thousand dollars' worth of jewelry. The robbery was perpetrated in the upstairs living rooms while the members of the family were downstairs, and was the work of a stylishly dressed young white man. The affair is a mystery, the police are baffled and the police to locate him.

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Thousands of Women Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

DIDN'T KNOW I HAD KIDNEY TROUBLE

I had tried so many remedies without benefit that I was about discouraged, but in a few days after taking your wonderful Swamp-Root I began to feel better. I was out of health and run down generally.



MRS. A. L. WALKER.

I had no appetite, was dizzy and suffered with headache most of the time. I did not realize that my kidneys were the cause of my trouble, but somehow, I felt that I might be, and I began taking Swamp-Root, as above stated. There is such a pleasant taste to Swamp-Root, and it goes right to the spot and certainly drives disease out of the system. It has cured me, and I cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers.

Gratefully yours,
MRS. A. L. WALKER,
21 McDaniel St., Atlanta, Ga.

To Prove What SWAMP ROOT, the Great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy Will do for YOU, Every Reader of the Times-Dispatch May Have a Sample Bottle FREE by Mail.

EDITORIAL NOTICE.—No matter how many doctors you have tried—no matter how much money you may have spent on other medicines, you really owe it to yourself and to your family, to at least give Swamp-Root a trial. Its strongest friends to-day are those who had almost given up hope of ever becoming well again. So successful is Swamp-Root in promptly curing even the most distressing cases, that we are sending out thousands of bottles of Swamp-Root, with the hope of curing many of the thousands upon thousands of testamonia letters received from men and women who have been cured of their kidney troubles. The value and success of Swamp-Root is so well known that our readers are advised to send for a sample bottle.

In writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure to say that you read this notice in the Richmond Daily Times-Dispatch. The genuineness of this notice is guaranteed. If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at all drug stores everywhere.

BRUTAL CAPTAIN OF OYSTERMAN

Under Arrest for Cruelty to Members of His Crew.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ONANCOCK, VA., Dec. 20.—Deputy United States Marshal Robert Gray arrived on the Virginia Eastern Shore yesterday (Monday) afternoon to arrest Captain Walker Wessells, of the two-masted schooner Mary Champion. Wessells resides at Locustville, about six miles from Onancock and gave no resistance to the officer who arrested him at his home and took him on the south-bound express to Norfolk.

Wessells is owner and captain of the schooner Mary Champion, and has been on a dredging cruise in Maryland and Virginia waters since the oyster season opened in September. He has two charges against him for maltreating his crew, one in Virginia and one in Maryland. He is regarded as a brutal, shameless and pitiless commander, had no regard for his men's feelings, but accomplished everything by his strong brutal force. Anyone who defied him or failed to obey his instructions he would beat them and throw them overboard.

His savage anger was so strong against two of his men one night a short time ago that he put them off on a small uninhabited island in the Maryland part of the Chesapeake. The men went two nights and days without food or fire and were completely exhausted from hunger and cold, when accidentally picked up by a steamer vessel and carried to Baltimore. The men's legs were entirely numb and it was some time before they thoroughly regained consciousness. On arrival in Baltimore they preferred charges against Wessells and the authorities have since been after him.

One of the men escaped from the vessel and went to Norfolk and told of his severe beatings and sufferings. He will have a hearing in Norfolk to-day and will be carried to Baltimore to-night. His dredging cruise in Maryland and Virginia waters since the oyster season opened in September. He has two charges against him for maltreating his crew, one in Virginia and one in Maryland. He is regarded as a brutal, shameless and pitiless commander, had no regard for his men's feelings, but accomplished everything by his strong brutal force. Anyone who defied him or failed to obey his instructions he would beat them and throw them overboard.

Wessells Sent On.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., Dec. 20.—Captain Mary Wessells, of the schooner Mary Champion, was committed to jail here to-day by United States Commissioner George E. Bowden, for trial.

VIRGINIA BRIEFS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 20.—Cephus Schooner, the young man who drank a large quantity of laudanum last night (for some hours, had recovered this morning. The police were notified, and he promptly summed up the man's life.

CHATHAM, VA.—Three to four inch ice was harvested yesterday. The damage was done and the creek last night (the mercury has been very little above freezing).

LYNCHBURG, VA.—An eastbound freight train on the Norfolk and Western was derailed early this morning at Bellevue, some distance west of Lynchburg. A heavy tramp who was standing his way on the train was badly hurt by being caught between two cars. Little damage was done and the track was cleared in a short time by the wrecking crew from Lynchburg.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA.—The dock trial of the armored cruiser Maryland was begun at the shipyard to-day.

Watches The Swiftest Line in Town
\$12.50
Schaaf's, 426 E. Broad.

WOMEN suffer untold misery because the nature of their disease is not always correctly understood; in many cases when doctoring, they are led to believe that womb trouble or female weakness of some sort is responsible for their ill, when in fact disordered kidneys are the chief cause of their distressing troubles. Perhaps you suffer almost continually with pain in the back, bearing-down feelings, headache and bitter exhaustion. Your poor health makes you nervous, irritable, and at times despondent; but thousands of just such suffering or broken-down women are being restored to health and strength every day by the use of that wonderful discovery, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

Why Swamp Root Gives Strength

Not only does Swamp-Root bring new life and activity to the kidneys, the cause of the trouble, but by strengthening the kidneys it acts as a general tonic and food for the entire constitution. The mild and extraordinary effect of the world-famous kidney and bladder remedy, Swamp-Root, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. A trial will convince anyone and you may have a sample bottle sent free by mail. In taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root you afford natural help to Nature, for Swamp-Root is the most perfect health-giver ever discovered. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

VERY TIRED OF BEING BUNCOED, SAYS PLATT

Did Not Invite Platt to Republican Conference to be Held To-day.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, December 20.—Senator Thomas C. Platt to-day said he had sent out one hundred invitations for a conference of Republicans at the Fifth Avenue Hotel to-morrow, when he continued: "I have been buncoed long enough, and I am not going to be buncoed any longer."

"Will the Governor join in the conference?"

"No, I do not expect him."

"Did you invite him?"

"Not on your life. I am for Dewey, and he is for Black first, last and all the time. I don't want to see him here, really."

RICHMOND, FREDERICKSBURG AND POTOMAC RAILROAD CO., WASHINGTON, SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE.

Effective January 1st, 1905, round trip tickets will be sold as follows:

Between Richmond and Washington, limited two days, in addition to date of sale; no stop-overs, \$5.00.

Between Richmond and Washington, limited five days, in addition to date of sale; stop-overs at Fredericksburg and Alexandria within limit, \$6.00.

Between Richmond and Ashland, limited two days, in addition to date of sale, \$5.00.

Between Richmond and Fredericksburg, limited two days, in addition to date of sale, \$2.75.

Between other stations on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac and Washington, Southern Railway, round trip tickets will be sold at 5 cents per mile one way distance, limited two days, in addition to date of sale; no stop-overs.

The one way rates between Byrd Street Station and all stations on above roads at 2 cents per mile will be applied to and from Elba.

Commutation ticket books now good to and from Elba will be accepted for passage to and from Byrd Street Station.

Effective January 1st, 1905, fifty trip family tickets will be sold between Richmond and Ashland at \$10.00, limited one year from date of sale.

W. P. TAYLOR,
Traffic Manager.

A SUGGESTION FOR XMAS AT ANDERSON'S

710 E. Main.

STOVES FOR HOLIDAY FIRES

That is all.